

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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 Swen HÖLDER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1624
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 Application No.: 10/715,358) Examiner: Kahsay HABTE
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 Filed: November 19, 2003) Confirmation No.: 3767
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 For: NOVEL PYRIDAZINONE DERIVATIVES)
 AS PHARMACEUTICALS AND)
 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS)
 CONTAINING THEM)

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

VIA EFS-Web

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Non-Final Office Action of February 28, 2007. The fee of \$450.00 is paid by credit card using the RAM system.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

/Robert C. Stanley/
Robert. C. Stanley, Reg. No. 55,830, for

Dated: July 30, 2007

By: _____
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